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For: **METHODS OF PLANARIZING STRUCTURES ON WAFERS AND  
SUBSTRATES BY POLISHING**

☒ **Continuation**  
of prior application serial no. 09/259,125  
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☒ Preliminary Amendment with Marked-Up Version  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and PTO-1449 Form  
☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

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**FEE CALCULATION FOR CLAIMS AS FILED**

Basic Fee							\$710.00
Independent Claims	4	-	3=	1	x	\$80.00=	\$80.00
Total Claims	33	-	20=	13	x	\$18.00=	\$234.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims (Small Entity)					x	\$130.00=	\$
Total Filing Fee:							\$1,024.00

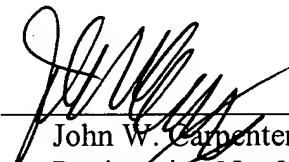
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